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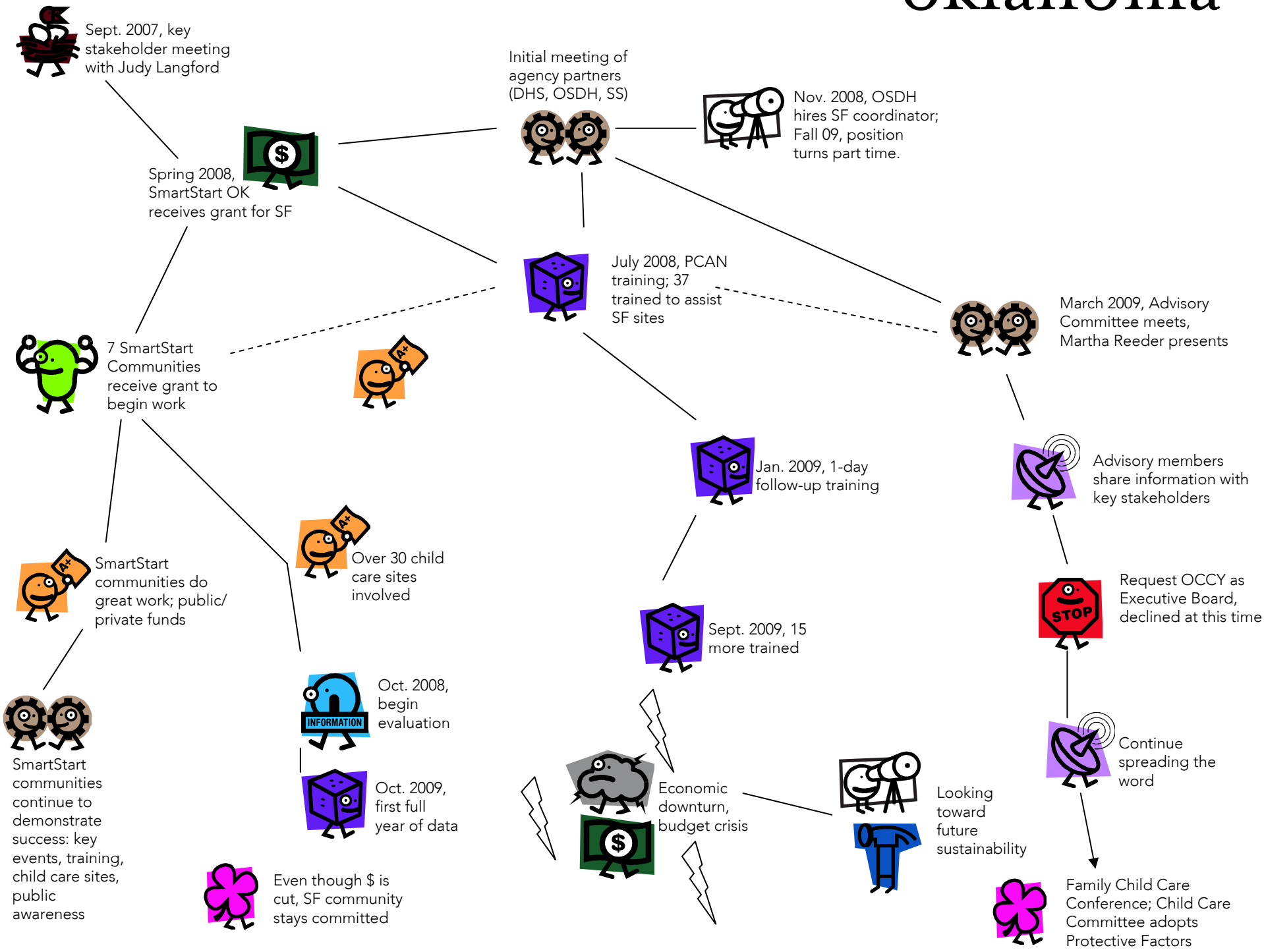
Sept. 2007, key stakeholder meeting with Judy Langford
Initial meeting of agency partners (DHS, OSDH, SS)
Nov. 2008, OSDH hires SF coordinator; Fall 09, position turns part time.
Spring 2008, SmartStart OK receives grant for SF
July 2008, PCAN training; 37 trained to assist SF sites
March 2009, Advisory Committee meets, Martha Reeder presents
7 SmartStart Communities receive grant to begin work
Jan. 2009, 1-day follow-up training
Advisory members share information with key stakeholders
SmartStart communities do great work; public/ private funds
Over 30 child care sites involved
Request OCCY as Executive Board, declined at this time
Sept. 2009, 15 more trained
Oct. 2008, begin evaluation
Continue spreading the word
SmartStart communities continue to demonstrate success: key events, training, child care sites, public awareness
Oct. 2009, first full year of data
Economic downturn, budget crisis
Looking toward future sustainability
Even though $ is cut, SF community stays committed
Family Child Care Conference; Child Care Committee adopts Protective Factors